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In re Application of Mukamolova, et al.

Application No. 09/445,289 ON PETITION

Filed: May 11, 2000

Attorney Docket No. FHW-051US

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 4, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a reply to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, mailed August 19, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one month. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. No reply having been received, the above-identified application became abandoned on September 20, 2003. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 15, 2004.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the aboveidentified application, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Petitioner submitted the required reply in the form of a sequence listing, paid the petition fee, and made the proper statement of unintentional delay.

The person signing the instant petition also requests a change of correspondence address to the address given in the instant petition. There is, however, no indication that the person signing the instant petition was ever given a power of attorney or authorization of agent to prosecute the above-identified application. If the person signing the instant petition desires to receive future correspondence regarding this application, the appropriate power of attorney or authorization of agent must be submitted. While a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the person signing the instant petition, all future correspondence will be directed to the address currently of record until such time as appropriate instructions are received to the contrary.

The application file is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 1645 for examination in due course.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0272.

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The person signing the petition was not listed as one of the attorneys in the declaration and power of attorney filed with the application.